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Applicant: Yoko ONCHI et al. Conf.: 8150
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For: PHOSPHORUS-CONTAINING COMPOUND

**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON
REQUESTING APPROVAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In reviewing the above-captioned application file upon allowance, it appears that the drawings filed in this case are acceptable, however no mention of the drawings has been made. If our understanding is incorrect, it is requested that the Commissioner notify the undersigned immediately so that appropriate and timely action may be taken.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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